

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

DATE: 3/14/64

TO : SAC, DALLAS (100-10461)

FROM : SA ROBERT P. BUTLER

SUBJECT: LEE HARVEY OSWALD, aka:
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On above date JAMES L. SIMMONS, 1325 Rosemont St., Mesquite Texas, telephonically advised that he is one of ten witnesses who, while standing on the Commerce Street viaduct, observed the assassination of President Kennedy on 11/22/63.

SIMMONS advised that he furnished his name as did the other people on the viaduct to an unknown man who he thought to be a reporter. He stated that none of the ten persons in the group has been interviewed concerning the assassination to his knowledge. SIMMONS stated that he and his friends are all employees of the Union Terminal Company, 500 S. Houston St., Dallas, with the exception of a Dallas police officer who was standing with his group on the viaduct. He stated that he and his friends have not come forward since they were on duty at the time of the assassination and were not authorized to leave their jobs to observe the parade. SIMMONS requested that his name not be mentioned to the other witnesses or to his employer in connection with this call. Following is the list of names as furnished by

SIMMONS:

- "Luke" WINBURN - Switchman
- FNU POTTER - Hostler helper
- FNU BISHOP - Hostler
- RICHARD DODD - Track maintenance foreman

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Robert P. Butler
Ed Robertson

FNU MURPHY - Mail foreman at Terminal Annex

FNU HOLLAND - Signal Department Foreman

C.E. JOHNSTON - Machinist

EUEL (phonetic) COWSART - Switchman

FNU POSTER - Patrolman, Dallas P D.

SIMMON's is a car inspector whose working hours are from
7 AM- 3PM, Tuesday through Friday. He will be at home until
2 PM, Monday, 3/14/64.

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